

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Department of State Police Law of the Civil  
5 Administrative Code of Illinois is amended by adding Section  
6 2605-560 as follows:

7 (20 ILCS 2605/2605-560 new)

8 Sec. 2605-560. Handgun Roster Board.

9 (a) There is established a Handgun Roster Board in the  
10 Department of State Police. The Board consists of 11 members.

11 (1) Of the 11 members of the Board:

12 (A) one shall be the Director of State Police as an  
13 ex officio member; and

14 (B) ten shall be appointed by the Governor with the  
15 advice and consent of the Senate.

16 (2) Of the 10 appointed members of the Board:

17 (A) one shall be a representative of a State law  
18 enforcement agency association;

19 (B) one shall be a representative of a State  
20 prosecutorial association;

21 (C) one shall be a handgun dealer, gunsmith, or  
22 representative of a handgun manufacturer;

23 (D) one shall be a resident of the State who is a  
24 representative of a rifle association;

25 (E) one shall be a representative of an  
26 organization that promotes gun violence prevention;  
27 and

28 (F) five shall be public members, 2 of whom shall  
29 be mechanical or electrical engineers.

30 (b) Each member of the Board, other than the Director of  
31 State Police, shall serve a term of 4 years. The Director of  
32 State Police shall serve as chairman. The Board shall appoint

1 such other officers as it deems appropriate. The Board shall  
2 meet at the request of the chairman or of a majority of the  
3 members.

4 (c) The Board members shall receive no additional  
5 compensation for their service as members of the Board but may  
6 be reimbursed for their actual expenses for service on the  
7 Board from appropriations made to the Department of State  
8 Police for that purpose.

9 Section 10. The Criminal Code of 1961 is amended by adding  
10 Section 24-11 as follows:

11 (720 ILCS 5/24-11 new)

12 Sec. 24-11. Handgun safety devices.

13 (a) In this Section:

14 "Authorized user" means the owner and any person authorized  
15 by the owner to possess and use the handgun.

16 "External safety lock" means an external device that is:

17 (1) attached to a handgun with a key or combination  
18 lock; and

19 (2) designed to prevent a handgun from being discharged  
20 unless the device has been deactivated.

21 "Handgun" has the meaning ascribed to it in clause (h) (2)  
22 of subsection (A) of Section 24-3 of this Code.

23 "Handgun Roster Board" means the Board created in Section  
24 2605-560 of the Department of State Police Law.

25 "Personalized handgun" means a handgun manufactured with  
26 incorporated design technology that:

27 (1) allows the handgun to be fired only by the  
28 authorized user; and

29 (2) prevents any of the safety characteristics of the  
30 handgun from being readily deactivated.

31 (b) A dealer may not sell, offer for sale, rent, or  
32 transfer in this State a handgun unless the handgun is sold,  
33 offered for sale, rented, or transferred with an external  
34 safety lock.

1 (c) The Handgun Roster Board annually shall:

2 (1) review the status of personalized handgun  
3 technology; and

4 (2) on or before July 1, report its findings to the  
5 Governor and to the General Assembly.

6 (d) In reviewing the status of personalized handgun  
7 technology under paragraph (1) of subsection (c) of this  
8 Section, the Handgun Roster Board shall consider:

9 (1) the number and variety of models and calibers of  
10 personalized handguns that are available for sale;

11 (2) each study, analysis, or other evaluation of  
12 personalized handguns conducted or commissioned by: (A)  
13 the National Institute of Justice; (B) a federal, State, or  
14 local law enforcement laboratory; or (C) any other entity  
15 with an expertise in handgun technology; and

16 (3) any other information that the Handgun Roster Board  
17 considers relevant.

18 (e) This Section does not apply to:

19 (1) the purchase, sale, or transportation of a handgun  
20 to or by a federally licensed gun dealer or manufacturer  
21 that provides or services a handgun for: (i) personnel of  
22 any unit of the federal government; (ii) members of the  
23 armed forces of the United States or the National Guard;  
24 (iii) law enforcement personnel of the State or any local  
25 law enforcement agency in the State while acting within the  
26 scope of their official duties; and (iv) an organization  
27 that is required by federal law governing its specific  
28 business or activity to maintain handguns and applicable  
29 ammunition;

30 (2) a firearm modified to be permanently inoperative;

31 (3) the sale or transfer of a handgun by a federally  
32 licensed gun dealer or manufacturer covered under item (1)  
33 of this subsection;

34 (4) the sale or transfer of a handgun by a federally  
35 licensed gun dealer or manufacturer to a lawful customer  
36 outside the State; or

1           (5) an antique firearm.

2           (f) A dealer who violates subsection (b) of this Section is

3           guilty of a Class 4 felony.